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CATTLE AND CALVES INVENTORY, VIRGINIA AND U.S., JANUARY 1, 2010-2011

Item	Unit	Virginia			United States 1/		
		2010	2011	2011 as % of 2010	2010	2011	2011 as % of 2010
Cattle and Calves	Thous. Head	1,550	1,540	99	93,881	92,582	99
Cows and Heifers That Have Calved	Thous. Head	760	770	101	40,456	40,014	99
Beef Cows	Thous. Head	665	675	102	31,370	30,864	98
Milk Cows	Thous. Head	95	95	100	9,085	9,149	101
Heifers 500 Pounds and Over							
For Beef Cow Replacement 2/	Thous. Head	110	90	82	5,451	5,157	95
For Milk Cow Replacement 2/	Thous. Head	50	49	98	4,526	4,557	101
Other Heifers	Thous. Head	65	61	94	9,768	9,818	101
Steers 500 Pounds and Over	Thous. Head	175	160	91	16,510	16,382	99
Bulls 500 Pounds and Over	Thous. Head	40	40	100	2,190	2,153	98
Calves Under 500 Pounds	Thous. Head	350	370	106	14,978	14,500	97
Cattle on Feed	Thous. Head	20	20	100	13,642	14,022	103
Calf Crop 2/	Thous. Head	690	650	94	35,939	35,684	99

1/ Totals may not add due to rounding. 2/ Replacement heifers expected to calve during the year.

SHEEP & LAMB INVENTORY, VIRGINIA & U.S., JANUARY 1, 2010-2011 1/

Item	Unit	Virginia		2011 as % of 2010	United States		2011 as % of 2010
		2010	2011		2010	2011	
All Sheep and Lambs	Thous. Head	89	90	101	5,620	5,530	98
Breeding Sheep and Lambs	Thous. Head	71	67	94	4,185	4,115	98
Market	Thous. Head	18	23	128	1,435	1,415	99
Ewes - One Year Old and Older	Thous. Head	55	55	100	3,335	3,255	98
Rams - One Year Old and Older	Thous. Head	4	3	75	195	190	97
Replacement Lambs	Thous. Head	12	9	75	655	670	102
Total Breeding Sheep and Lambs	Thous. Head	71	67	94	4,185	4,115	98

1/ May not add due to rounding.

APPLE AND PEACH PRODUCTION, PRICE, AND UTILIZATION, 2006-2010

	Unit	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
APPLE PRODUCTION:						
42 Pound equivalent						
Total	thousand	5,238	5,119	5,381	5,833	4,762
Utilized	thousand	5,095	5,119	5,381	5,833	4,762
Pounds						
Total	million	220	215	226	245	200
Utilized	million	214	215	226	245	200
Price Per Pound	cents	9.8	12.1	16.6	13.5	18.8
Value Utilized Production	thou. dollars	20,964	26,122	37,574	33,078	37,630
Utilization of Sales						
Fresh	million lbs.	34	37	51	60	2/
Processed	million lbs.	180	178	175	185	2/
PEACH PRODUCTION:						
48 Pound Equivalent						
Total	thousand	167	67	217	242	259
Utilized	thousand	165	65	213	209	232
Tons						
Total	tons	4,000	1,600	5,200	5,800	6,210
Utilized	tons	3,950	1,550	5,100	5,010	5,570
Price Per Ton	dollars	790	1,040	1,070	1,250	683
Value Utilized Production	thou. dollars	3,121	1,618	5,457	6,263	3,804
Utilization of Sales						
Fresh	tons	3,950	1,550	5,100	5,010	5,570
Processed	tons	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/

1/ Not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations. 2/ Estimates for 2010 will be published on July 7, 2011.



VIRGINIA: PRINCIPAL VEGETABLES FOR FRESH MARKET, 2010

Crops	Planted Acres	Harvested Acres	Yield per Acre Cwt	Production 1,000 Cwt	Value	
					Dollars per Cwt	Total 1,000 Dollars
Snap beans	5,300	5,100	33	168	33.00	5,544
Cabbage	600	600	280	168	18.00	3,024
Sweet Corn	3,500	3,100	20	62	20.00	1,240
Cucumbers	1,300	1,200	40	48	21.00	1,008
Tomatoes	4,800	4,500	210	945	54.50	51,503
Watermelon	1,100	1,000	210	210	12.60	2,646
Total	16,600	15,500		1,601		64,965

**NUMBER OF FARMS, LAND IN FARMS, AND FARMLAND VALUES, 1991-2010 ^{1/}**

	Number of Farms	Farm Land -thousand acres-	Average Size -acres-	Average Acre Value Of Farmland and Buildings -dollars-
1991	45,000	8,800	196	1,490
1992	45,000	8,700	193	1,643
1993	49,000	8,800	180	1,636
1994	49,000	8,800	180	1,590
1995	49,000	8,800	180	1,720
1996	49,000	8,800	180	1,840
1997	49,000	8,800	180	1,880
1998	49,000	8,750	179	1,920
1999	49,000	8,730	178	2,080
2000	48,500	8,710	180	2,230
2001	47,900	8,680	181	2,380
2002	47,600	8,670	182	2,530
2003	47,500	8,500	179	2,700
2004	47,500	8,400	177	3,100
2005	47,000	8,300	177	3,800
2006	46,800	8,200	175	4,430
2007	47,400	8,100	171	4,900
2008	47,000	8,000	170	5,000
2009	47,000	8,000	170	4,800
2010	47,300	8,050	170	4,600

^{1/} Places that sell or normally would sell \$1,000 of agricultural products.

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS ^{1/}

Commodity	Unit	Virginia			United States			Parity Prices January 2011 ^{9/}
		January 2010	December 2010	January 2011	January 2010	December 2010	January 2011	
		-Dollars-			-Dollars-			
Wheat (Winter) ^{2/}	Bu.	4.28	6.70	7.19	4.67	6.40	7.23	15.60
Corn	Bu.	4.00	5.54	5.99	3.66	4.82	5.37	9.88
Barley (All)	Bu.	2.74	3.86	4.45	4.68	3.84	4.05	10.90
Hay, Baled: All ^{3/}	Ton	131.00	136.00	136.00	106.00	112.00	112.00	—
Alfalfa ^{3/}	Ton	140.00	175.00	178.00	111.00	121.00	121.00	—
Other ^{3/}	Ton	130.00	132.00	132.00	97.70	94.60	95.30	—
All Tobacco	Lb.	--	--	--	--	--	--	—
Peanuts	Lb.	0.235	0.246	--	0.207	0.240	0.230	0.695
Soybeans	Bu.	9.36	11.93	12.80	9.79	11.60	12.60	24.40
Apples, For Fresh Use	Lb.	.305	.350	.320	.290	.295	.297	0.849
Potatoes	Cwt.	--	--	--	7.17	8.69	8.87	21.50
Oats	Bu.	2.51	2.50	2.60	2.19	2.96	3.04	6.44
Beef Cattle ^{10/}	Cwt.	66.30	78.10	--	82.10	98.10	106.00	260.00
Cows	Cwt.	44.20	49.00	--	47.90	55.20	63.00	—
Steers and Heifers	Cwt.	82.90	100.00	--	87.50	104.00	110.00	—
Calves	Cwt.	94.40	113.00	--	109.00	128.00	135.00	363.00
Hogs (All)	Cwt.	--	--	--	48.40	52.30	54.60	142.00
Milk: All, Wholesale ^{4/ 8/}	Cwt.	19.10	20.60	19.40	16.10	16.70	16.20	46.80
Fluid Consumption ^{8/}	Cwt.	19.10	20.60	--	16.10	16.70	--	—
Manufacture ^{8/}	Cwt.	--	--	--	15.50	14.60	--	—
Market Eggs ^{3/ 5/}	Doz.	1.07	1.14	.88	0.905	0.919	0.660	2.34
Broilers, Live ^{6/}	Lb.	7/	7/	7/	0.480	0.460	0.450	—
Turkeys, Live ^{3/ 6/}	Lb.	7/	7/	7/	0.465	0.677	0.556	1.440

-- No sales indicated or not available. 1/ Current month prices are mid-month prices, other months are entire month prices except where noted. 2/ Parity price is for All Wheat. 3/ All prices are mid-month. 4/ Before deductions for hauling and govt. withholding, but includes bulk tank, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies. 5/ Includes eggs sold retail by the producer. 6/ Equivalent live weight returns to producers for most states. 7/ Discontinued. 8/ January 2011 fat test percent: all milk 3.82, fluid milk (NA), mfg. grade (NA). 9/ Adjusted base price 1910-14 derived by dividing the average of 10 seasons average prices 1996-2005, including an allowance where appropriate for unredeemed loans and other supplemental payments resulting from price support operations, by 716 percent (120-month, Jan 1996-Dec 2005 average of the index of prices received by farmers adjusted to include an allowance for unredeemed loans and other supplemental payments) unless otherwise noted. 10/ "Cows" and "Steers and Heifers" combined.

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